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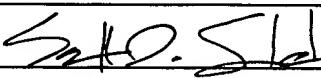
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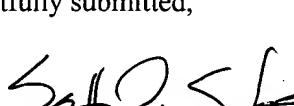
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Sir:

This Response is in reply to the Notice Regarding Drawings ("Notice") mailed on November 22, 2004. In the Notice, Figs. 1-12, filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 12, 2001 and September 6, 2001, were objected to by the Draftsperson under 37 C.F.R. 1.84.

Applicant submits replacement drawing sheets 1-7 containing new Figs. 1-12. Applicant respectfully suggests that replacement sheets 1-7 correct all informalities identified in the Notice. No fee is due with this response. In the event that a fee is due with this Response, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0639.

Respectfully submitted,

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